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For Cowes,

The superior brig BLISS, Philip French, master. For passage only, having excellent accommodations, apply to the master on board; or to
THOMAS V. HUCK.
10th mo. 23d. tf

For New-Orleans,

The brig AGENT, Capt. Moore; is now loading and will positively sail on the 25th instant. For freight or passage apply to W. FOWLE & Co.
October 16

For Freight,

The good schooner THOMAS, Josiah Spalding, master, burthen 500 barrels, and will be ready to load the last of the present week. Apply to
JOHN H. LADD & CO.
Who offer for sale her cargo, viz.
400 casks Thomaston lime.
Also received,
22 Connecticut ploughs. oct 19

For Sale or Freight,

The schr. ROB ROY, Isaac Pool, Master, burthen about 1100 barrels. She is an excellent vessel, nearly new, and will be discharged in a few days. Apply to
JOHN H. LADD & Co.
Who offer for sale her cargo, viz.
3100 salted and dry Brazil hides
498 sides soal leather
30 tons tustic
8 baskets cocoa October 18

For Freight,

The good brig ECONOMY, Ebenezer A. Shaw, master, burthen 1100 barrels, and will be ready for a cargo in a few days. Apply to
JOHN H LADD & Co.
Who have for sale, afloat,
3500 bushels Isle of May salt
1000 Russia grey bare skins.
October 11

For New-York,

The regular packet schnr. DASH, John Griffith, master, burthen about 750 barrels, now ready to receive a cargo Apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co.
Who have in charge, and from the New-York packet,
One box and one paper bundle, marked J. D. HAMILTON; and two boxes, marked T. HAYNES. October 11

For Sale, Freight or Charter,

The fast sailing, N. York built brig BLISS, capt. French, burthen 271 tons, (or about 2500 barrels) copper fastened and well found, and in every respect a first rate vessel, is now ready for the reception of a cargo. Apply to Captain French on board, at Ramsay's wharf, or to
6 mo 10 THOMAS V. HUCK

For Freight,

The superior schooner PLANTER, Capt. Merchant; will be ready to receive a cargo on board in a few days and take a freight to any Foreign Port or Coastwise. Apply to W FOWLE & Co.
Who have for sale, said schooner's Cargo of
240 tons Plaister Paris. October 6

Plaister, Duck, &c.

TWO hundred & five tons plaister Paris, the cargo of the brig Ann Maria, capt. Buck, from St. Andrews. For sale by
WM. FOWLE & CO.
Who have also for sale, landing from schnr. Liberty, capt. Bears, from Boston,
100 bolts first quality Russia Duck
4000 lbs. sheathing } PAPER.
60 reams wrapping }
Also,
The cargo of the schnr. Catharine, Captain Singer, of
600 casks Thomaston lime.

For Freight,

The brig ANN MARIA, J. Buck, master; a first rate vessel, carries about 2000 bbls. or 250 hhds. tobacco, in complete order for any voyage.

Also, for any Eastern Port,

The schooner CATHARINE, capt. Singer, an excellent vessel, and will be ready for a cargo in a few days.
Apply as above. september 27

For Freight,

The schooner GIPSEY, Fales master, burthen 900 bbls. will be ready for the reception of a cargo in a few days. Apply to
WM. FOWLE & CO.
Who have for sale, said schooner's cargo of
600 casks Thomaston lime
6000 feet lumber september 14

For Freight,

The ship FAIR-TRADER, burthen 530 hhds. or 3900 barrels.

Also,

Brig COLUMBUS, burthen 800 barrels.

Also,

The brig VENUS, burthen 900 barrels.

Also,

The brig JUNO, burthen 550 barrels.

Also,

The schr. ALLEGRO, burthen 600 bbls.
Apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co.
september 20

For Bermuda,

The brig BENEFACTOR, to sail with all possible dispatch.—Two or three hundred barrels of freight is wanted to fill up. A few passengers can be handsomely accommodated. Apply to
M. MILLER & SON; or
THOS. H. HOWLAND.
september 25

Whiskey, Blown Salt, &c.

SEVENTEEN hundred bushels Liverpool fine salt
100 sacks do do (large size)
15 hhds. 50 bls. rye whiskey
AND
5000 lbs. green coffee
10 bags pepper
Just received and for sale by
LINDSAY & HILL,
Who have 10 shares Alexandria and Norfolk Steam Boat Stock, which they will give in exchange for Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria stock at par. sept 15

Hats, Furs, &c.

SAMUEL D HARPER has just received on commiision, at his store on King-st.
Gentlemen's first, second and third quality beaver hats
Gentlemen's common do
Ladies' black beaver do
Do brown do do
Children's fancy hats
Servants' glazed do
Black and brown feathers
ALSO,
First and second quality beaver
Camel hair
Raccoon skins,
All of which will be sold on reasonable terms. tf March 4

Lemons, Sugars, &c.

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR offer for sale,
40 boxes fresh lemons in fine order
35 hhds } 1st, 2d & 3d quality sugars
60 bbls }
25 hhds West India rum
20 do. northern do.
30 hhds } whiskey
20 bbls }
4000 gallons wine and cider vinegar
A few dozen very old superior claret
50 chests gunpowder, imperial and young hyson teas, of choice qualities
36 lb real Durham mustard in teads
50 doz. London and Philadelphia do
30 boxes pepper and pimento
500 reams writing and wrapping paper
200 boxes mould and dipped candles
10,000 lb hard soap
And a general assortment of good wines, liquors and groceries, as usual.
June 12

John H. Ladd & Co.

OFFER for sale at reduced prices, for approved paper at long dates
55 hhds West-India rum
68 N. E. rum
30 bls do do
15 hhds and 10 bls India Point and common gin
1 hhd and 1 bbl cherry bounce
10 bbls coloring
64 boxes white Havana sugar
23 brown do
80 hhds retailing molasses
26 bags green Havana coffee
20 chests young hyson tea
1 chest imperial do
350 boxes mould candles
25 do dipped do
97 do yellow and brown soap
50 do fancy soap
27 tons Russia old sable iron
200 pieces Russia sheetings
37 bales and cases English, India, German and domestic goods
18 boxes men's and boy's coarse and fine hats
3 cases large and small combs
20 frails Arabian dates
12 boxes Turkey figs
40 do Muscatel raisins
3 casks lemon juice
Cassia mustard and ginger
Pipes, half pipes and quarter casks Scotts and other Madeira and Sicily Madeira wines
Reams writing, sugar loaf, wrapping and sheathing paper
Bales English herring seine twine
1 bbl indigo
25 casks red ore
400 casks lime
1500 bushels loose lime
100 M clear and merchantable boards
2000 bushels Albany oats
2700 bushels Isle of May salt
3000 do Liverpool coarse do
600 do Lisbon do
15 casks Connecticut cheese
Boxes dun codfish
25 bls prime pork
10 navy beef
60 No. 2 herrings
35 casks English powder, lying in the powder house
5 cases men's and boy's shoes
50 boxes double refin'd Italian brimstone
25 Connecticut ploughs
Clocks, time pieces and mahogany furniture
Weavers' reeds or slays
Nest measures, boxes, gin cases and shaving boxes
100 grindstones
Yawl boats
110 kegs large and small twist manufactured tobacco
4 bales hops
15 tons tustic
15 crates and hhds Liverpool ware
40 boxes window glass, of various sizes
Cordage, handspikes, mast hoops, hanks, &c. &c.

English & German Almanacs

For 1819,

WITH a large and general stock of *school books and stationary*, suitable for the country trade, for sale by
oct 8 JOHN A. STEWART.

Plaister.

THE cargo of schnr. Augusta, captain Swift, of
140 tons plaister Paris
For sale by
WM. FOWLE & CO.
Who want a few hundred dollars North Carolina money september 21

Tar.

FOUR HUNDRED bls tar, in good order and for sale by ABIJAH ADAMS,
October 7 Central Wharf.

Sugar, &c.

JOHN H. LADD & Co. offer for sale, now landing from sloop Ocean and schr. Midas—
17 hogsheads, } Superior qual. Sugar
11 barrels }
6 boxes men's fine and coarse shoes.
October 6

Potatoes.

JOHN H. LADD & Co. offer for sale, landing from schooner George Washington—
42 barrels potatoes oct 7

Bryan Hampson & Co.

HAVE on hand, and offer for sale—
85 hhds. & 100 bbls 1st & 2d quality Muscovado sugars
50 hhds. bright molasses
50 do. Jamaica and Antigua rum
120 bags prime green coffee
4 pipes London part. Teneriffe wine
10 do Sicily Madeira do
30 quarter-casks Malaga do
4 cases London mustard containing pound & half pound canisters
2 hhds. English alum
1500 lbs. madder
A few tons patent shot, assorted sizes
White lead in kegs
1000 lbs. bees' wax
6000 bushels ground alum } SALT
150 sacks fine }
400 tons plaister.
With a general assortment of groceries, and a constant supply of the best family flour. september 27

Shoes.

A FRESH supply just received and for sale by the subscribers, consisting of the following kinds:—
300 pair ladies' morocco walking shoes
100 do do cork sole do do
50 do do morocco bootees
300 do do do slips
500 do do do do with heels
400 do do leather walking shoes, thick soles
400 do W. C. black & col'd roan slips
800 do do leather pumps
600 do do do thick soles
200 do misses' do shoes
50 do ladies' white kid slips
200 do misses' blk. & col'd mor. do
600 do men's thick shoes
300 do nail'd do
800 do boys' do do
300 do do bound do
400 do men's do do
100 do gentlemen's fine do
100 do do do pumps
In Store,
Men's low priced fur and wool hats
All of the above articles are offered for sale, at reduced prices, FOR CASH—Country merchants supplied at Baltimore and Philadelphia prices. S. & D. REED.
september 29

Sugar, Coffee, Teas, &c.

BRYAN HAMPSON & CO. offer for sale
Sugar in hhds tierces and barrels
Green coffee in bags
Teas in chests, half chests and boxes, of the best importations
Sicily, Madeira, Lisbon. Port and Malaga wines, all of the first quality, in pipes and quarter casks
Old Jamaica and Antigua rum in hhds
A few barrels flaxseed oil
Spanish flotant and Bengall indigo
With a general assortment of groceries, as usual May 26

Authorised by Law for the promotion of Education.

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

THE TENTH CLASS OF THE VIRGINIA

Seven Numbers Lottery,

WILL be drawn on Saturday, the 23d day of October inst. at 4 p. m. in the town of Petersburg, Va. when the public will know the fate of the following prizes in a *few minutes.*

35 prizes of $ 5,045
1848 do of 45
27,480 do of 5
Price of tickets 4 dollars.
Near three blanks to a prize.

The explanation of the above scheme may be had *gratis*, and the tickets are now for sale at the Bank of Alexandria, in this city, by the subscriber, at 4 dollars each, until the 19th inst. who will pay the prizes to the fortunate adventurers, on the tickets sold by him. Orders by mail, enclosing the cash, (post paid) punctually attended to
BENJ. C. ASHTON.

☞ Since the last few drawings of the above popular scheme, many prizes of 5045 dollars each, besides a very large number of small prizes, have been drawn and paid to several ladies and gentlemen in the states of Virginia and New-York.

☞ We hereby certify that the seven numbers drawn on the 2d day of Oct. 1819, in the city of Richmond, Virginia, in Mr. Vannini's lottery scheme, were the following, to wit—85, 37, 54, 61, 42, 64, 71.
E. CAHILL.
B. CHAMBERLAYNE.
October 4—7. d1190

Fall Goods.

JOSEPH JANNEY has imported by the ship Boston, lately arrived from England, a general assortment of
Fall Goods,
which are for sale. mhtf 9th mo. 27th

Wanted,

A WET NURSE, with a good breast of milk. One without a child would be preferred. Enquire of the printer.
october 7

Wheat.

I WISH to purchase 20,000 bushels of good merchantable wheat
9th mo 27 THOMAS V. HUCK.

Bottled Ale, Porter, Cider, Wine, &c.

THE subscriber, at his cellar on Royal-st. offers for sale an extensive supply of *Philadelphia porter, ale & cider, in bottles,* which being selected by himself will be found of superior quality.
Best port, claret and Madeira wine, old in bottle, which by the dozen will be sold on moderate terms.
And in store, for sale,
Bristol porter bottles in hampers of one gross each
Velvet corks in bales of 10,000 each
Five, two, one and one half gallon demi-Johns
Superfine table salt in baskets
With a general and well selected assortment of wines, spirits, teas, sugars spices, groceries, &c. WM. DUNLAP.
june 1 tuthstf

New Edition

OF THE

AMERICAN GARDENER,

CONTAINING ample directions for working a kitchen garden every month in the year; and copious instructions for the cultivation of flower gardens, vineyards, nurseries, hop yards, green houses and hot houses.
By John Gardiner, and by David Hepburn, late gardeners to governor Mercer and general Mason.
To which is added,
A Treatise on Gardening, by a Citizen of Virginia. Also, a few hints on the cultivation of Native Vines; and directions for making Domestic Wines. For sale by
J. KENNEDY & SON.
March 30 th tutf

Adam Lynn,

(*Opposite the Mechanics' Bank,*)

HAS received, by the late arrivals from Liverpool, an addition to his former stock of
HARDWARE & CUTLERY
which makes his assortment very extensive and complete, which he offers, wholesale or retail, at the most reduced prices.
september 21 tuthstf

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria county, }
October Term, 1819 }

ORDERED, that the executrix of BERNARD CROOK, deceased, do insert the usual notice to debtors and creditors, three times in each week, for three weeks in the Alexandria newspapers.
A copy—Teste. A. MOORE, Reg.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

That the subscriber, of Alexandria county, in the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters testamentary on the estate of Bernard Crook, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the said decedent are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 14th day of April next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate; and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 14th October, 1819
ANN CROOK,
Executrix of Bernard Crook, dec'd.
october 14 tuths3w

Burr Mill Stone Manufactory.

THE subscriber wishes to inform his friends and the public, that he has opened his Burr Mill Stone Manufactory, at the upper end of King-street, (opposite the Blacksmith and Farrier's shop, in the town of Alexandria,) where he will supply millers with French Burrs, of any size, at the shortest notice; and will warrant them equal, if not superior, to any in the United States.—If millers will order their Wheat Burrs before they are built, he will build them in a manner, as he can prove to the satisfaction of any person, that they will run, without stop or fail, for 100 years; & if not bespoke, from 90 to 100.
N. B. Prices as low as possible
june 28 ROBERT GLENN.

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber living in King George's county Va. on Monday the 22nd March, a yellow man named
JAMES,
about 22 years of age, his fore teeth wide apart, and cannot speak very quick—had on Virginia cloth clothes and carried off a shaggy great coat, he has a father named Peter Hall, who lives with the widow Morgan, at Oak Hill, Fauquier Co and his grandfather, old Frederick Hall, is supposed to be living at Mr. Terrett's near Alexandria, and it is likely he may be lurking about there.—I will give the above reward for apprehending and securing said fellow so that I get him again, and reasonable charges if brought home. J. H. WASHINGTON.
Masters of vessels and others are forewarned against harboring or carrying off said fellow
June 14 tf

1 do calicoes
Also,
Cassimeres
Coatings
Colored cambrics
Figured muslins
Madrass handkerchiefs
Ginghams
Brown Hollands
Cotton threads
Paris needles, buttons, &c. &c.
Also,
1 pipe American brandy
10 barrels American gin
2 do N E rum
5 do vinegar
20 crates queens'ware
10 kegs chewing tobacco
15 boxes mould candles
10 bbls. India sugar
20 kegs butter
40 reams writing paper
50 do wrapping paper
With a quantity of goods, furniture, &c.
Will be added to this day's sale,
30 boxes soft shel'd almonds
10 bls & half bls. mackerel
6 cases men's fine hats
10 cases shoes
156 wt. nutmegs
5 coils cordage
2 fancy fire screens
50 boxes raisins
S. A. MARSTELLER, auct.
october 22

Public Sale.

WILL be sold at auction, on THIS DAY, the 26th inst a WOODEN BUILDING, situate on Prince-street, adjoining the house occupied by Mrs. Eviletb The purchaser to remove the materials off the premises. Terms made known at the place of sale. By order of the Directors of the Bank of Alexandria. J. THOMPSON. Pres.
october 19 dts

Marshal's Sale,

WILL be sold on THIS DAY, the 26th inst. for cash, at the Marshal's office, A PAIR of matched HORSES; also, one carriage, called a BALOUCHE, the property of James Sheather, to satisfy an execution in favor of the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria.
D. MINOR, D. M.
For T. RINGGOLD, Marshal.

Valuable Land for Sale.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Superior court of chancery for the district of Fredericksburg in Virginia, the undersigned commissioners will proceed to sell at public auction, upon a credit of one, two, and three years, at Middleburg, in the county of Loudon, on Thursday the 18th day of November next,
4000 *Acres of Land,*
lying in the neighborhood of Middleburg.—The whole land is of that quality termed plaister land, and susceptible of high improvement by the use of it. The people, who have asserted and maintained the imprescriptible rights of humanity by the "mutual pledge of their pledge of their lives, their fortunes and their sacred honors;" and, as long as virtue holds her empire in the hearts of their successors, the example of these generous benefactors will not be lost to the world; their names will not pass away nor be forgotten, or their glorious deeds be confounded in the common and casual transaction of life.—Ingratitude is a vice that in nations, as well as individuals, indicates the last degree of degeneracy and corruption; it is a vice that implies the absence of every virtue; it was in the age of Caligula that the name of the Scipios was proscribed, that the state of Brutus brought death on its possessor.

"The glory of our ancestors is the light of posterity," and the homage of the living cannot be offered to the merits of the illustrious dead with an effectual or sterile admiration. Great and splendid actions will seldom be achieved by men who have humble or ordinary objects in prospect. It is by contemplating the life and character of those who are marked out from the multitude by their eminent qualities, that we become emulous of their virtues and their renown. The trophies of Miltiades interrupted the sleeps of Themistocles; and Theseus, hearing the exploits of Hercules, was fired with his spirit, and became the successful rival of his fame. The rude savage of the desert listens with rapture to the deeds of his ancestors, and hangs around his hut the emblems of his father's valour.

More need not be said to enforce the utility of the publication we have undertaken, and which we now submit to the patronage of our fellow-citizens, with a hope, that from the liberality of their encouragement, we shall be able to present it to the public worthy of their approbation. We must depend for the illustration of many of the characters of our biography, upon the generosity of their surviving relatives and friends, to furnish us with whatever interesting materials may be in their possession; for which, with our grateful acknowledgments, we promise a copy of the entire work as a compensation.

CONDITIONS.

I. The work will be published in numbers or half volumes of 200 pages, octavo, and contained in ten numbers. To the first will be prefixed an appropriate frontispiece—and the work will be commenced with the declaration of independence, with engraved fac similes of the signatures, and a compendious detail of the proceedings of congress, during the passage of the law. Each of the lives, unless when it is impracticable, will be preceded by a likeness of the person, engraved by the best artists in the United States.

II. It will be printed on fine paper, made expressly for the purpose, and delivered to subscribers at *two dollars and fifty cents* per number, payable on delivery.

*** Subscriptions received at this office.
october 15 tf

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From Moore's Irish Melodies.

OH, FOR THE SWORDS, &c.

AIR—*Name Unknown.*

Oh, for the swords of former time!
Oh, for the men that bore them,
When arm'd for right, they stood sublime,
And tyrants crouched before them!
When pure, yet ere courts began
With honor's to enslave him,
The best honors worn by man
Were those which virtue gave him.
Oh, for the swords of former time, &c.

Oh, for the kings who flourish'd then!
Oh, for the pomp that crown'd them,
When hands and hearts of free-born men
Were all the ramparts round them!
When safe built, on bosoms true,
The throne was but the centre
Round which love a circle drew,
That treason durst not enter.
Oh, for the swords of former time, &c.

A NATION'S HAPPINESS.

The great source of a nation's happiness is the morality of the people, as well as the political integrity of its rulers. Where there is no morality there is no religion, and the people will be indifferent to every thing about them.

SELDON.

This great man condescended to become a member of the Assembly of Divines at Westminster, in which capacity he did some service, by preserving the public libraries from dispersion. Among other objects to which this synod directed its attention, one was a commentary on the scriptures of the original languages, of which a great part of the assembly were ignorant. One day these divines were busied for a considerable time in determining the distance between Jerusalem and Jerico, on which knotty point they differed very much; till one of the blotherhood thought he could settle it by having found that fish used to be carried from the latter place to Jerusalem market. This solution was deemed a satisfactory conclusion for the shortness of the distance in so hot a climate, when M. Seldon nonplussed them again, by saying, that "perhaps it might be salt fish."

ALEXANDRIA:
TUESDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 26.

The Arkansas territory, over which Gen. Miller is to preside as Governor, is represented as rich in soil, and having the advantages of an unobstructed and noble river of more than 2000 miles in extent. It is also said to abound in silver, and that with half the labor that is expended in working the mines of Peru and Mexico, a richer abundance of the precious metals might be produced. It is worth "trying" at least.

[Amer. Farm.

Baltimore, October 22.

CITY BANK.

We understand, that at the adjourned meeting of the Stockholders of the City Bank, held this day, it was agreed, that the Directors proceed in closing its concerns; and that a further report of proceedings be made to the Stockholders in May next, when it can be better decided whether the Bank shall be finally closed or not. *[Patriot.*

New-York, October 23.

EXECUTION.

The execution of *George Brown*, for the murder of Captain Lewis, took place yesterday, at the appointed hour. It was directed that the culprit should expiate his offence on board the schooner Retrieve, the same vessel in which the murder was committed. The vessel was moored in the East River, between Fulton-street wharf and Brooklyn Heights, and at an early hour the wharves and shipping were covered with spectators, and the river nearly covered with boats.—Soon after 12 o'clock, the prisoner was taken from his cell and conducted by the Marshal and a guard of marines, to the Fey-wharf, and thence conveyed to the vessel by the steam-boat Nassau. At about half past one, a yellow flag was hoisted at the main-top-mast, when a signal gun was fired from the navy yard, and the prisoner was immediately run up to the yard arm. The body remained suspended about half an hour, when it was taken down and disposed of agreeably to the sentence of the court.

The whole ceremony was conducted with great solemnity and decorum, and we cannot but hope the awful exhibition and example will have the beneficial effect of deterring others from similar crimes.

No serious accident occurred during the ceremony that we have heard of. A boat was upset with eight persons on board, but they were all saved by the people in the surrounding boats. *[Merc. Adv.*

A PICK-POCKET TAKEN.

On Tuesday last, a crowd assembled at the bottom of Calvert-street, in consequence of a horse having fallen into the dock. Soon after a gentleman from Virginia, missed his pocket-book—he proceeded with a friend up to the corner of Bank-street—where he seized hold of a suspicious character, who was just before seen to walk quickly off from the crowd, and on him found his pocket-book, and in his hat and trowsers, his money, being upwards of 400 dollars The fellow, a Frenchman, has been committed to prison. It is said he is well known in our principal cities as one of the *light fingered gentry*.

[Balt. Pat.

New-York, October 21.

A report is in circulation that the brig Factor, Corran, from Havre to this port, has been lost at sea. If so, it is hoped that the crew may have been picked up. We learn that she had on board 80 passengers, 60,000 dollars in specie, and a valuable cargo of dry goods. A bale of goods, picked up at sea, corresponds with a bill of lading now in this city.

Extract of a letter from James W. Peters, Esq. of the house of Peters & Stebbins, dated

Blakely, 25th September.

"My health is now rapidly improving, having experienced a severe attack of bilious cholic. I leave this to-day to go up the country. Since my last account of the dreadful ravages of the yellow fever, which continues to prevail at Mobile, the inhabitants have deserted that place, so that it is said the whites remaining do not exceed 50. This place continues tolerably healthy. Although nothing is doing, the inhabitants are in good spirits. Crops of corn are very abundant in this state, but cotton is said to be infected by the rot. The schr. Sandusky has not yet arrived from New-York."

Philadelphia, October 23

Three stages were loaded this morning with Spanish Dollars, at the Bank of Pennsylvania, for a commercial house in Boston, amounting to upwards of 100,000 dollars, intended for the India trade.

THE LATE COMET.

The *Journal des Debats* remarks":—"We have had a narrow escape!—The earth was, on the 26th of June, *in the direction of the tail of the comet* This wandering star, our globe, and the sun, were then on the same line, and M. Olbers, a celebrated astronomer of Bremen observed the passage of the comet over the sun's disk.—The nucleus of the comet entered by the southern extremity, at twenty-two minutes after five o'clock, real time, and came out by the northern extremity at twenty-one minutes after nine o'clock. During this passage, the comet was seven millions of German miles from the sun, and fourteen millions from our planet.

WONDERFUL BOY.

Mr. Christopher Bartlett, of this town, has a son now three years of age, who, at thirty-two months old, was sent to school for the first time. Without any previous instruction, he acquired a competent knowledge of the alphabet in two hours; and so rapid did he learn the the combination of letters and syllables into words, that at the end of two or three days, he surpassed in spelling the best scholars in the school, and maintained his place for five successive days at the head of the first class; and, until his father, alarmed at the visible declension of his health, took him thence, and forbade him the use of his book. Immediately on learning the alphabet, he could readily spell without mistake, the longest word, no matter of how many syllables it was composed, provided there were no silent letters in it.

[Elizabethtown, Essex co. Patriot.

DIRECT FROM CADIZ.

The ship Fanny, Williams, in a short passage, from Cadiz, bound to New-York, put into New-Haven, on Sunday. Captain W. has despatches for Government, from our Minister at Madrid, proceeded by land to New-York. The only information we have been able to gather from this arrival, is, that Mr. Forsyth will remain at Madrid till further instructions shall have been received from the President; that the Spanish King *did not* in fact *refuse* to ratify the treaty for ceding the Floridas; but suffered the time limited for that purpose to elapse, with an understanding or an expectation that the United States would consequently avail herself of the Floridas by immediate occupation; that Ferdinand was induced to this passive measure, in consequence of the interference of the British Government, which had put in its claim for the cession of the Island of Cuba, or for some other equivalent, as an offset to the proposed cession to the United States.

[New-Haven Herald.

Late from Cadiz.—The ship Fanny, capt. Williams, arrived at New Haven, last Sunday, in 31 days from Cadiz, with a cargo of salt and quicksilver, for N. L. & G. Griswold, of New-York. Captain Williams informs that the Spanish expedition was still at Cadiz.—A mortal sickness prevailed at Cadiz and the adjacent towns; it was said to be imported by a 74 from Havana; an officer who attended her was the first who died. In the Isle where the sickness commenced, there died 75 or 80 daily—population about 18 or 20,000. It was not so sickly in the other towns when the Fanny left there, but was spreading very fast—great fear was entertained that it would get amongst the fleet and troops. Every wise measure was adopted to prevent it. The troops were ordered into the country.—All communication was cut off with Cadiz, and no vessels were allowed to enter or go out. The Fanny had early information, before the guard-ships were placed off, and effected her escape, by getting under way immediately, but was chased and fired upon. There were about 175 transports, seven or eight 74's, several frigates, sloops of war and gun brigs, which appeared in excellent order. Business of all kinds extremely dull. Markets full of American produce, and no sale. Despatches from our Minister at Madrid, came by the Fanny, said to be of an important nature.

From the New-York Advocate, Oct. 24.

The refusal on the part of the king of Spain to ratify the treaty between this country and that, is an event well calculated to give rise to political, and, as the case may be, mercantile speculations relative to its result, not only as it regards the two nations immediately interested, but others who may consider themselves even remotely affected by it. A letter from some person in Liverpool, which has been recently published here, suggests a strong probability of approaching hostilities between us and Great-Britain, as well as Spain. The writer goes upon the ground, that the great nations of Europe, generally, and Great-Britain in particular, look upon us with an evil eye, and dreading our encreasing power and prosperity, are disposed, if possible, to check us, at least, if not to crush us, in our youth. Whatever may be the sentiments of the European governments concerning our political principles and institutions, we are at present at peace with them. There is no point in which we can seriously injure them, unless it be in commerce; and in the present state of things, it would seem that our trade must be beneficial rather than injurious to them. Whatever we may *say* about manufacturing, no well informed person can imagine, for a moment, that we are likely, in a very short time, to supply all our wants in that mode. We must buy more than we can make for a good while to come—and if this be true, we must trade more or less with Europe.

As it regards our principles, it would seem that the fears of monarchs regarding the prevalence of republicanism in their dominions, must be much less lively than they were twenty years ago. If any nation is in immediate danger from this source, it must be Great-Britain—the nation who is considered by this letter writer as more likely to quarrel with us on account of the Floridas than any other.—It seems to be supposed, that if Spain should cede to us the Floridas G. Britain will demand, as an equivalent, the island of Cuba. This is a strange sort of claim. But if it is intended to be made, we have no hesitation in believing, that Great-Britain would remain silent until the cession of the Floridas is made, for the sole purpose of setting up her demand for Cuba—for if Great-Britain can make Spain cede Cuba to her as an equivalent for the transfer of the Floridas to us, she would wish above all things that such a transfer might be made. We very much doubt whether any accession of territory would be gained by Great-Britain, which that nation would consider of more importance to her commercial interests and influence than that island. In this point of view, it is very apparent, that the best thing that could happen for G. Britain would be the cession of the Floridas to the United States, because that would furnish her, according to the supposition, with a conclusive argument why Cuba should be transferred to her.

But, let the wishes and feelings of the British government, on this subject, be what they may, we shall not readily be persuaded that they are so lost to all wisdom and prudence, as to risk, for a phantom, the consequences of a war with this country. She is now involved, in consequence of the wars of the last twenty-five years, in as much difficulty as she knows how to struggle with.—The public debt is so enormous that the interest of it swallows up almost the whole national income—the national expenditure is great beyond all example—to furnish supplies the people are taxed to their ears, and are on the borders of desperation to discharge the public exactions,—the sums annually paid for the mere support of paupers are incredibly great—and the poor and laboring classes, frequently thrown out of employment, and suffering for bread, at the same moment, stimulated and chafed by demagogues and unprincipled political desperadoes, are on the verge of rebellion for a reform in government. Is it to be supposed, that under such circumstances, the government will dare risk a war for the paltry purpose of preventing the U. States from obtaining a title peacefully to two comparatively insignificant provinces, lying on our borders, and belonging to Spain? Such things may be—for there is no limit to human folly, and especially to the folly and madness of human governments; but we shall be slow to believe it.

We are not surprised to find such ideas suggested, nor do we say that they are not well founded. They may be real; and they may originate from sources of political or mercantile speculation; but we hope our countrymen will be wary enough not to be deluded by them. We have speculated too often, and run risks too frequently, in this country—a wiser and safer course will be—*to wait for events.*

Boston, October 20.

AFFAIRS OF EUROPE.

A late Liverpool paper, in taking a retrospective view of the Continent, remarks:—"Notwithstanding all the apparent tranquility of the continent, violent internal struggles are making in many of its kingdoms, which seem to forebode a crisis in their several constitutions and forms of government, which must speedily issue in a rigid confirmation of the old system, or an acquisition by the people of new ones. We do not merely allude to Spain, which seems in as bad a condition as exhausted finances, a mutinous army, and a discontented people can make it; but also to several of the States of Germany, whose situation is scarcely less interesting. It is rather ominous for Prussia, that Frederick William is pursuing a course not very unlike that of Ferdinand The men who were most bravely and patriotically active in the expulsion of Napoleon, in 1813, when Prussia was in her "low state," are now in prisons, and under arrests, by the order of the king, sharing the same fate as the brave Cortes of Spain. This treatment is a punishment for remonstrating with the king on the shameful duplicity of his conduct with regard to the representative constitution he solemnly promised to his subjects, on conditions which they have fulfilled. We cannot tell what confidence his fellow subscribers to the Holy Alliance have in his kingly faith; but some of his subjects have formed a just estimate of it, and find it deplorably wanting. It is vain, indeed, to remind an ambitious king of honor, gratitude, or principle; but, though he may spurn all these, a hint that the safety of his throne is endangered, may bring him to a timely composition with his insulted and determined subjects. Such a hint, events, if not words, are daily conveying; and the mystery with which every acres is beclouded by a shackled press, only tends to augment the apprehension, that the sore lies very deep, and will not be speedily healed.—The conduct of Frederick William is as injudicious as it is unjust. He has put under arrest many celebrated professors at the different Universities, several of whom have thousands of pupils strongly attached to them. Professors John, Cœrres, Aradt, and the two Welkers, are among the number; of whom the last three firmly maintained that no tribunal but that of Bonn, had any authority over them, and persevered successfully in demanding their liberty on their parole of honor. There can be no doubt that these proceedings will produce great odium in Prussia on the government; and they are of such a nature as rather to exasperate the people to resistance, than to overawe them. It is to be hoped that all this will end in extorting from Frederick William a representative government. The parliaments of Bavaria and Baden are acting precisely the part of the English parliament with William III. enforcing economy, and reducing that dangerous appendage to a free state—a standing army. They have received hints amounting to remonstrances, from the heads of the government, but have resisted all dictation and encroachment on their rights with a spirit that does them honor. These states are likely to form an admirable pattern for the other states of Germany; and it is a happy presage, that the first introduction of the representative system into Germany is attended with circumstances, which promise a long duration of strength and efficiency. With all the misery which the French revolution has occasioned the nations of Europe, much substantial good has been mingled: if France, Bavaria, Baden, Prussia, and Spain have obtained, or are likely to obtain a considerable extension of political liberty, we shall have little reason to regret the thunder storm, which has lighted on the heads of a few tyrants, seeing it has cleared the political atmosphere, and cracked the fetters of degraded nations. To this consummation we look with confidence."

From the Kingston, (U. C.) Chronicle.

Another public misfortune has befallen Canada, in the recent death of JOHN OGILVY, esq. his majesty's commissioner for ascertaining the boundary line between this country and the United States. This gentleman, while prosecuting the survey of lake Erie, was attacked by a species of fever, which had prevailed in the adjoining country among the inhabitants as well as among his surveying party. He remained several days ill in his tent, exposed to the heat of the sun by day, and the cold and dews of the night, and could not be persuaded by the most earnest entreaties of his attendants to repair to Amherstburgh, where he might have had regular medical assistance, until the last extremity, when the disease was too far advanced, and his constitution was unable longer to resist its fatal progress. He died at the above place after sixteen days illness, on the 28th September, aged about 55, and his remains were interred on the 30th with military honors.

Colonel Ogilvy, from his extensive information and local knowledge, added to unwearied perseverance and assiduity, was eminently qualified for the important charge with which he had been honored, and we fear it will not be easy to replace him with a person equally capable, and equally disposed to serve the country.

Mr. Thomson, Mr. Gray, and other persons employed in the survey, arrived here in the Frontenac last Friday on their way to Lower Canada.

LIGHT WITHOUT HEAT OR COMBUSTION

Extract of a letter.

"I have lately seen an account of a discovery of a singular a highly important character, announced in the latter part of August, at Paris, by a Professor *Metnike*, (a German probably,) viz: an artificial *gas*, confined in *glass*, assuming, by an electric shock, a permanent, steady light, without *heat* or *combustion*.

Here is a grand desideratum, indeed—a candle which can be thrusted into *carded cotton* inoxious, or into a cistern of water unextinguished; which can be placed under one's pillow while we sleep, and taken out at pleasure. Our houses may be built with it in such a manner as to avoid the necesity of those cold holes of winter—windows.

The whale may keep his *blubber*, and the shark his *liver*; the coasts of the ocean may be lined with those newly discovered (*Pharol*) light-bearers; they may be sunk on reefs, and *shine* up *information* through the deep; and, by anchoring them in lines through oceans, we may mark the *ship roads*, and have *guide posts* which tell the best path for each month in the year, across the parallels of this ball. Extravagant as this may seem, I assure you that I have often entertained the idea that an insulated mass of *electron* (according to Agustus B. Woodward,) or some *phosphorus*, might be produced in a permanently useful form. We now *battle* up *lightning*—We *cork* up the enemy of the *small pox*, and let him out at pleasure; we see our way by peeping at the skies, or into a box, (Mariner's compass,) where we keep a little modicum of *polar essence* to steer by, &c. You recollect that 1799 a hearty laugh was raised against the democrats, by comparing them to the philosopher of luggbagg, extracting *sun beams from cucumbers*. Dean Swift would have put into his philosophical *whim-whams*, the bottling of lightning, together with the extracting of sunbeams from cucumbers, had he thought of it,

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The ingenious writer of this letter, (adds the correspondent who communicated it,) might have added, that this invention will be of excellent service to Capt. Symmes and his fellow travellers among the *concentric spheres* in the interior of our planet. [*Nat. Intel.*

From the Philadelphia Gazette.

An obliging friend has favored us with the following melancholy narrative of the late

HURRICANE AT ST. BARTS.

On the 20th Sept. at 8 P. M. the weather appeared threatening, and about 12 o'clock the wind shifted to the north and continued to increase from that quarter till ten the next morning, when it hauled more to the west, its violence still increasing. At this time 1 o'clock, P. M. the 21st, we are shut up with candles burning. The last opportunity of observing the harbor, there were but two vessels afloat. The Barometer continues to fall.——3 P. M. All nature appears at war with man; we cannot see the distance of 20 yards.—We can scarce hear each other speak in the house. The gale has certainly reached its utmost height. The rain or scud resembles a vivid blaze of lightning. If the whole world were on fire the scene could not be more awfully sublime than at present. The torrents from the hills are like rivers. God only knows where it will end, should the flow continue——every house must be washed away. The wretched inhabitants are seeking safety in flight.

9 P. M. Little did I think, when I penned the foregoing, that we should so soon share the fate of these poor wretches. The violence of the storm forced us to remove. The first place of security we fixed upon was the jail. I was nominated to obtain possession and have the doors opened to receive the family. In attempting to reach it, I was thrown down twice, and carried as far as the Chapel. However, a momentary lull fortunately enabled me to gain the place with no other damage than the loss of hat and coat.

In this place the tremendous fury of the wind had worked a perfect destruction of every door and window of this noble edifice.

On returning to the family I found them in the utmost consternation, every moment expecting the dining room which overhangs the house to fall in ruins. To gain the cellar was our only resort, and after much difficulty fifteen souls were collected there.

Sept. 22d. The scene that presented itself this morning was truly awful.—All the shipping formed one mass of ruins at the head of the bay. To distinguish even the remnants would be impossible. I can only say, *all* are destroyed.

Full one half of the town is completely demolished. Places, where yesterday buildings were standing, are now a barren waste. There is scarcely a dwelling that escaped destruction or damage.

Thus far I can write with some comparative composure; but to witness what follows is agonizing in the extreme. The hand of death has shortened the trials of many a poor sufferer. Every hour we hear new tales of horror. —Mr. P's fine house in the country was torn to pieces, and the fragments found some hundred yards from the spot where it formerly stood. His lovely daughter was killed. Several bodies have been found so lacerated as not to be known. Houses and families have been swept away together.

At the commencement of the gale there were thirty sail of vessels afloat, chiefly Americans. The largest vessel in the harbor, a Portuguese ship, is not to be seen. The Governor has issued a proclamation offering relief to the distressed add destitute.

French and English travellers.

The great difference between the French who visit London and the English who visit Paris is, that the former generally make the trip to get money, and the latter to spend it. The great nation must suppose England a land flowing with milk and honey, for they come here without money, friends or resources of any kind: in the modest expection of getting some provision or other immediately. One reason for this is the facility with which a Frenchman can travel in France: if he wants, for instance, to go to Paris from one of the provinces, he goes to the *roulage*, that is, the waggon office, opens his portmanteau, tells the clerk he has no money, and asks the loan of what he wants to carry him to Paris, on his clothes, or any valuables he may have. They examine his things, and in general give him what he wants. The portmanteau is then forwarded, but it is not delivered to him till he repays the sum advanced.

This practice has led many of the poor fellows newly arrived, into a sad scrape, as they supposed, if they could muster enough to reach London, they might avail themselves of the same resource here. The other day a very ludicrous scene happened through this money lending plan. A Frenchman, who had just arrived, being desired by a clerk at one of the diligence offices to pay something, drew out, with an air of great *sang froid* the sum of six sous.—"These," said he, "are all I have; but here is my trunk, and I will thank you to lend me something on my clothes." "D—n your clothes!" replied the affronted clerk, "what have I to do with your clothes? d'ye take me for a pawnbroker?"—"*Pardon*, Sir, we always do so in France; you will not refuse."—"Indeed I shall"—"*Sacre*, but I have no money; if you don't lend me some, I can have no dinner." The clerk turned from him muttering, "You should have thought of that in France." A gentleman present felt for the poor fellow's situation, slipped a trifle into his hand, and enquired what he could do to gain a livelihood. The answer was concise, "I can do everything Sir." Upon closer enquiry, it turned out that this universal genius could fight, dance, make straw baskets, plead law, and play a little upon the fiddle.

London paper.

Exchange Coffee-House
MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA...OCTOBER 25.

ARRIVED,

Schr. Monroe, Noys, 16 days from St. Andrews; plaister, grindstones, &c. to William Fowle & Co.

Schooner Ospray, Drinkwater, 13 days from Portland; plaister, to W. Fowle & Co.

Schr. An elope, Basnet, 5 days from Ocracock; shingles, wheat and sweet potatoes, to the master. Left a brig on Friday evening, below Cedar Point Rocks—bound up.

Schrs Henry Clay, and Friendship, from Richmond, with cargoes of coal.

CLEARED.

Ship Gen. Lingan, Weston, Cowes and a market.
Brig Columbus, Blunt, Nuevitas.
Brig Ann-Maria, Buck, Boston.
Brig Venus, Morris, Mobile.
Schr. Rob-Roy, Pool, Boston.

Sloop Armada, Kirkland, cl. at N. York 23d instant, for this port.

State of the Weather.

October 24, at 2 P. M. 58 degs.—Fair wind, S.outh.

October 25, at 2 P. M. 50 degs.—Fair w. North West.

For Freight,

The schooner OSPRAY, Tristram Drinkwater, master, carries about 1,400 bbls. a first rate vessel, and will be ready for a cargo in a few days.

Also, for Freight,

The schnr. Monroe, N. Noyes, master, carries about 1000 bbls. will be ready for a cargo in three days, and will take freight for any eastern port. Apply to
WILLIAM FOWLE & Co.
Who have for sale said schnr.'s cargo of
400 tons plaster paris
250 grindstones Oct. 26

Canton Crapes.

FOUR cases Canton crape, containing 50 pieces, superior quality, and assorted colors. Just received and for sale by
October 26 WM FOWLE & Co.

Lost, or Mislaid.

A TOBACCO Note on Pomonky Warehouse, marked as follows: P T 168. 1008, 100, 908d, dated 24th May, 1811.
W. W. DUNNINGTON.
Charles County Maryland, Oct. 26.

Samuel Ward

OFFERS the following articles for sale at reduced prices, at the corner of Prince & Union-streets;
11 elegant sideboards
15 bureaus of different kinds
8 secretaries and book cases
31 bedsteads, different kinds
14 tables different prices
2 large dressing bureaus
1 eight day clock, superior quality
2 ladies' work stands, with silk bags
140 looking glasses, different kinds
1 Grecian couch, very elegant
200 chairs, different kinds
2 settees
6 wash stands
1 large cloathes' press
30 mattresses, different sizes
50 feet of gold moulding
30 sacking bottoms
20 doz. passage mats, wholesale & retail
4 large oil cloth carpets
6 passage do do
12 trunks, different sizes
2 easy chairs
4 dozen corn brooms
5 plated harnesses
3 dozen cast steel axes
1 do carpenters' adzes
1 do light hoes
3 do bed cord
1 do floor brushes
Portable desks, night stools, 1 dozen bridles, hats, shoes, and boots, umbrellas, 1 ton lignumvitæ, belaying pins, log rails.
A hand washing machine
2 top carrioles.—*Also, just received,*
1 grand harpsichord piano forte, of superior quality
1000 wafer boxes.
october 26 tf

Key Lost.

WAS lost in the street yesterday, the key of a Ware-house door—The finder will be rewarded on delivering it at this office.
October 25 3t

Samuel Ward & Co.

HAVE commenced the manufactory of cabinet work, also of turning and carving, at the shop of Joseph Spear, deceased. Having purchased the stock and tools of the decedent, and a large stock on hand, they flatter themselves that, by attention and industry, they can furnish as good and as cheap of every description, as any person in the District of Columbia.

They have on hand and for sale,
4 elegant mahogany sideboards, carved
1 set do tables, 3 in a set
3 set do round ends, 2 in a set
10 mahogany dressing tables, square
6 Pembroke do
6 beuraus mahogany
15 bedsteads of different kinds, light stands, wash stands, cribs, sofas. &c.
Also,
2000 feet Mahogany in boards and Plank.—Turning and carving done at the shortest notice, and any other business in their line. S. WARD.
Oct 26 ENOCH LEWIS.
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Grains and Yeast.

GRAINS may be had at my Brewery, this day, at 4 P. M.—Also, Yeast, next Saturday; and both as usual throughout the season. ISAAC ENT ISLE.
october 18 d2w

$5000 worth of Goods at first cost.

THE subscriber offers for sale, about 5000 dollars worth of goods, at first cost, well selected in Philadelphia and Baltimore, for which he will take paper of the Mechanic's Bank of Alexandria, or good bonds
JOSEPH TULEY,
Millwood, Frederick county, Va.
october 16 tf

Notice.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has taken the house formerly occupied by TALBOT, WILSON & Co. where he intends to keep a supply of all kinds of

LEATHER,

Which he will sell low, and from experience in said business can confidently solicit their patronage. In return he obligates himself to do all in his power to merit the same. All orders punctually attended to.
N B. The highest price given for Country Hides, and Upper Leather, and Calf Skins in the rough THOMAS C. TULEY.
October 16

Oyster-House.

THE subscriber informs his friends and the public, that he has opened an OYSTER-HOUSE at the corner of Prince and Alfred-streets, where those who will please to call will be served in the best manner.—He will also keep Oysters for the accommodation of private families at all times—the best the market will afford.
October 14 Z. WADE.

One Hundred Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY, on the 20th September last, from the subscriber, living near Battletown, in Frederick county, Virginia, a bright Mulatto Girl, named LAVINIA, but she will in all probability change her name. She is about 4 feet 3 or 4 inches high, is very likely and stoops considerably in walking. She took with her a bundle containing a variety of clothing. It has been ascertained that she is endeavoring to make her way to Philadelphia via Alex'a. and Baltimore. The above reward will be given for apprehending the said mulatto girl and bringing her home or lodging her in jail so that I get her again.
October 13 d2w ANN PAGE.

For Sale.

A SECOND HAND COACHEE, and a pair of well broke horses, some good milch cows, young well broke oxen, young cattle, sheep, farming utensils, &c. among which is an excellent ox cart. A bargain may be had. Apply to the printer.
september 25 dtf

French Language.

WILLIAM LANPHIER intends to commence his French School, on the evening of the 15th inst. at 7 o'clock, in the house (formerly the Friends' Meeting House) next door south of Doctor Stabler's dwelling, in St. Asaph-street.
Terms as low as others teach for.
september 14 dtf

For Sale,

AN excellent second hand COACHEE, with harness complete, well calculated for a hack or family.—Also, a pair of large strong horses, well broke. A great bargain may be had, if immediate application be made at the bar of the Washington Tavern.
september 24 tf

Private Tuition.

THE subscriber has procured, as private tutor to his family, a young gentleman, (a graduate of Yale College) every way qualified, to conduct all of the different branches of education, and would be willing to receive two or three BOARDERS.
THO'S. TURNER.
Fauquier County, Va Oct. 15 2tm

Situation Wanted.

THE advertiser, (a native of England) who has had the honor to instruct adult pupils, as well as youth of both sexes, in Stenography, the English and French Languages, Elocution, Writing, Arithmetic, Geography, &c is desirous of obtaining immediate employment as a private teacher, assistant in a respectable academy, or master of a school in the country.

Possessing the most ample testimonials in favor of his competency as a teacher, the advertiser wishes not to shrink from any investigation, that may be deemed requisite, in order to ascertain the validity of his pretensions, and the extent of his acquirements. Enquire (if by letter, post paid) of Mr. Davis, the editor of this paper.

N. B. Law students and other professional gentleman may acquire a complete knowledge of the advertiser's system of Stenography in the course of twelve lessons Ladies or gentlemen desirous of private instruction, may be attended at their own houses, and at their own time. October 13

Mahogany & Furniture.

I HAVE just received per sloop Fanny, from Baltimore, about 5000 feet Bay Mahogany, in logs, which will be sold to suit purchasers, either in the log or board, at a reduced price. Gentlemen who are building can be supplied with hand railing, cut to any dimensions, at a short notice.
Also, on hand, and for sale,
A quantity of cabinet furniture, which will be sold cheap, and warranted to be made by the best workmen, and of the best materials.
All orders for furniture, which the subscriber may be favored with from the country or elsewhere, will be promptly attended to, and executed in a superior style.
ROBERT ABERCROMBIE.
The National Intelligencer will insert the above three times, and forward their account to this office. oct. 25

Leesburg Turnpike Road.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders in the Leesburg Turnpike Road Company, that Ten Dollars on each share subscribed (that is on the stock subscribed since the 1st day of October, 1818,) is required to be paid on the 25th of November next. THO R. MOTT, Treasurer.
Leesburg, Oct. 13, 1819.
☞ The editors of the Winchester and Alexandria Gazettes, will publish the above for thirty-five days.
october 22 dt25N

Notice

To the Stockholders of the Columbian Insurance Company of Alexandria.

AN election for eleven Directors of the Columbian Insurance Company of Alexandria, will be held at their office, on MONDAY, the first day of next November, between the hours of ten A. M. and two P. M. to serve for the ensuing year.
By order of the Board,
WM WILSON, Sec'y.
Columbian Insurance Office,
Alexandria, October 15. dtN1

Salt, Wine, &c.

LINDSAY & HILL have just received per schr Columbus,
2200 bushels ground alum salt, (now afloat)
AND
20 qr. casks Malaga wine
In Store,
20 hhds. & 30 bls. 1st & 2d quality sugar
25 hhds. prime retailing molasses
50 bags green coffee
50 St. Domingo ditto
Gunpowder, Imperial & Y. Hyson teas
W. India & N. England rum
Blown salt in sacks & bulk
Ground ginger in kegs
5 bls. tanners' oil
20 bls bottle cider 3½ doz. each
October 11

John Ramsay

HAS imported in the ships Boston, captain Finlay, & Potomac, captain Bradford, direct from Liverpool, a handsome assortment of

Fall and Winter Goods,

which are now opening, and offered for sale on accommodating terms.
september 22

Flour Business.

THE subscribers respectfully inform their friends and the public that they have entered into co-partnership in the flour and grocery business, under the firm of *GIBSON & LUPTON*. Their warehouse is at the upper end of King-street, where they intend buying and will receive flour on storage. On hand, a large quantity of plaister, salt, &c.
ISAAC GIBSON.
NATHAN LUPTON.
We intend keeping a constant supply of the best family flour.
september 27 d3teo6w

Bank of Potomac,

October 1, 1819.

NOTICE is hereby given the Stockholders of the Bank of Potomac, that an election will be held at the Town Hall on Monday, the first of November next, for twelve Directors to serve the ensuing year.
The election to commence at ten and end at three o'clock.
By order of the Board,
C. PAGE, Cashier.
October 2 stuthE

An Evening School

WILL be opened at the MECHANICS' HALL on Monday, the 18th instant. Hours of tuition, from six until nine o'clock. The terms will be moderate.
A. G. BONNER.
October 11 tuths3w

Notice.

THE FARMERS' BANK of Alexandria this day declares a dividend of profits upon its capital stock paid in of two and an half per cent. for the last six months, payable to stockholders or their representatives on Monday the 4th instant.
By order, JOHN HOOFF, Cashier
October 1. ftu2w

Columbian Tavern,

Corner of King & Columbus-sts. Alexandria

SOLOMON DREW takes the present opportunity of returning his grateful thanks to the public, for the liberal encouragement he has received since his commencement in business, and begs leave to assure them that no exertion has been spared to render his establishment convenient for the reception of travellers and a desirable house for respectable boarders. His stock of wines, liquors, beer, &c have been selected with attention, and he trusts they will be found not inferior to any in the district. His stabling is fitted up in the best manner, and well adapted for travellers, or others who wish to have their horses kept by the month, week, or otherwise. At the suggestion of some of his friends, he has appropriated a part of his house to the Oyster Business, where will be furnished oyster suppers in the most comfortable manner and reasonable terms.
N B The subscriber will carry on the Tayloring business as heretofore, and returns his acknowledgements to his customers in that line, for favors received and hopes to merit their future support. Oct. 21

SALES AT AUCTION.

Public Sale.

THIS DAY, at 10 A M
Will be sold at the auction store, corner of Prince and Water streets,
1 bale broadcloths
1 case Irish linens
1 do Carlisle ginghams
1 do brown sheetings
1 do steam-loom do
1 do bombazetts
1 do calicoes
Also,
Cassimeres
Coatings
Colored cambrics
Figured muslins
Madrass handkerchiefs
Ginghams
Brown Hollands
Cotton threads
Paris needles, buttons, &c. &c.
Also,
1 pipe American brandy
10 barrels American gin
2 do N E rum
5 do vinegar
20 crates queens'ware
10 kegs chewing tobacco
15 boxes mould candles
10 bbls. India sugar
20 kegs butter
40 reams writing paper
50 do wrapping paper
With a quantity of goods, furniture, &c.
Will be added to this day's sale,
30 boxes soft shell'd almonds
10 bls & half bls. mackerel
6 cases men's fine hats
10 cases shoes
150 wt. nutmegs
5 coils cordage
2 fancy fire screens
50 boxes raisins
S. A. MARSTELLER, auct.
october 22

Public Sale.

WILL be sold at auction, on THIS DAY, the 26th inst a WOODEN BUILDING, situate on Prince-street, adjoining the house occupied by Mrs. Eviletb The purchaser to remove the materials off the premises. Terms made known at the place of sale. By order of the Directors of the Bank of Alexandria. J. THOMPSON, Pres.
october 19 dts

Marshal's Sale.

WILL be sold on THIS DAY, the 26th inst. for cash, at the Marshal's office, a PAIR of matched HORSES; also, one carriage, called a BAROUCHE, the property of James Sheather, to satisfy an execution in favor of the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria.
D. MINOR, D. M.
For T. RINGGOLD, Marshal.

Valuable Land for Sale.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Superior court of chancery for the district of Fredericksburg in Virginia, the undersigned commissioners will proceed to sell at public auction, upon a credit of one, two, and three years, at Middleburg, in the county of Loudon, on Thursday the 18th day of November next,

4000 *Acres of Land,*

lying in the neighborhood of Middleburg.—The whole land is of that quality termed plaister land, and susceptible of high improvement by the use of it. The whole will be laid out into small tracts, of from two to three hundred acres each, and sold in separate tracts to suit purchasers. The whole is well watered, and no country is more healthy. Captain Pickett, who lives near the land, and who is employed to make a survey of it; and Mr. Sommers, who is the agent for the collection of the rents, will shew the land to those who may be inclined to purchase. Bond and security, and a deed of trust upon each tract, will be required of the purchaser.
JOHN LINTON,
JOHN GIBSON,
PHILIP HARRISON.
august 20—23 ts

Mrs. Cottringer

RESPECTFULLY informs her friends and the public that in consideration of the peculiar distress of the times, she has reduced the charges of her school, which will in future be as follows:

Board and English tuition, (*per ann.*)	D160
Including Washing,	180
Day Boarders, (*per quarter*)	18
Day Scholars,	8

Stationary and the use of school library supplied at a reduction of 20 per cent.
No entrance money is required.

Music, (*per quarter*)	18
Dancing,	12
Drawing and Painting in water colors,	8
Painting on velvet,	8
French,	10

October 25 6t

Apply at Allens' for Chances in the
New-York
Literature Lottery, No. 2.
Which commenced drawing yesterday.
The capital prizes are

1 prize of	30,000
2 prizes of	10,000
2 ditto	5,000
40 ditto	1,000
20 ditto	500

Also, 20 prizes of 200, 68 of 100 &c.—not two blanks to a prize—all the prizes guaranteed by the state.
Present price of tickets 13 dolls. and shares in proportion, to be had at

ALLENS'

Lottery & Exchange Office,
Near Davis's Hotel Pennsylvania avenue, Washington City,
Where the cash will be advanced for prizes as soon as drawn.
The drawing of each day will be regularly received as above, and adventurers can at all times be informed of the fate of their tickets.
Orders by mail promptly attended to, and all lottery information given gratis.
October 19

HOUSES, LANDS, &c.

To Rent,

The three story brick dwelling house and store, on Fairfax street, adjoining Dr. Wellerburn. The dwelling house or store will be rented separately. For terms apply to the present occupant. JOHN RUMNEY.
oct. 15 tf

Houses and Stores to Rent

A three story brick house, at the corner of King and Henry streets, with or without the store and cellar belonging thereto.

A large store and cellar with three good rooms, adjoining the former.

A two story brick house and store, on King between Patrick and Henry streets.

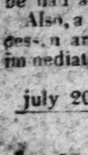
Two new two story brick houses, on Cameron street, near the theatre.

A two story brick house, on Royal-street, lately inhabited by Mr. Charles Tyler, with a garden, stable, cow house, and pump at the kitchen door.

N.B. All these houses are suitable for respectable families, and possession can now be had at very moderate rents.

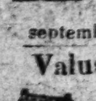
Also, a small brick dwelling house on Princess st. at Royal street—possession to be had immediately. Inquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
july 20 tf

To Rent,



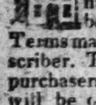
That large and commodious brick warehouse, lately occupied by Geo. Kincaid; also, the frame dwelling house, and store adjoining. The above property is well situated for the flour and grocery business, will be rented low to good tenants, and possession given immediately.
july 8 JAMES SANDERSON.

For Sale or Rent,



A commodious 2 story brick dwelling house, upon a half acre lot, corner of Fairfax and Jefferson streets. For terms apply to
DWIGHT METCALF.
september 24 dtf

Valuable Property for Sale.



That valuable wharf, warehouses, and dwelling house, known by the name of *Conway's Wharf*, situated between Queen and Princess streets. Terms made known on application to the subscriber. The property will be divided to suit purchasers. If not sold at private sale, it will be offered at auction, on the premises, on MONDAY, the 15th NOVEMBER, at 12 o'clock, M.
sept. 26 tf WM. HERBERT.

To Let,

ON moderate terms, a three story brick House, in a central part of the town, well calculated for a private family, or a genteel boarding house. Possession given on or before the 1st of December next. Inquire of the Printer.
june 28 dtf

For Sale,

That three story brick house, situated on the south side of Prince-st. now in the occupancy of Mr. Wm. Rudd; a perfect title will be given, and the terms of payment made convenient. Apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co

To Rent

A complete two story brick house, on Princess-street, between Washington & Columbus streets. For particulars enquire of
september 29 wtm JOHN F. SMITH

To Rent,

A commodious three story brick dwelling house on Washington-str't, lately occupied by Mr. Jno. Jackson.
ALSO,
A small frame house, on Fairfax-street, between King and Prince streets. In my absence application may be made to R. Veitch.
july 2 d3tuthstf JOHN LLOYD.

For Rent.

A NEAT and commodious *Brick House*, on Prince, between Fairfax and Royal streets. Apply at the counting room of M. Miller & Son, to
SOLOMON PARSONS.
October 16 stuth2w

Building Lots for Sale.

SUNDRY good lots upon Cameron, Pitt and Queen streets, on liberal credit, at reasonable prices to purchasers who would build thereon. For terms enquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
October 13 tf

Public Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust from John M'Pherson, to secure the payment of a debt to the late William Hepburn, his heirs and executors, the subscriber (one of the trustees named in the said deed) will offer at public sale, on the premises, on THURSDAY the fourth day of November next, a TRACT of LAND, in Fairfax county, Virginia, about five or six miles from the town of Alexandria, known by the name of "*Mount-Hebron*," or so much thereof as may at that time be thought advisable to make sale of.

The improvements on the premises are—two dwelling houses, one of them of brick; a small country mill, with one pair of stones; a saw mill; and a building lately occupied as a cotton factory, with an extensive orchard of various kinds of fruit.

The terms of sale and any other necessary information will be given on the day of sale.
WM. H. DUNDAS, Baltimore.
Oct. 5 d4N.

C. & I. P. Thompson

HAVE received, per the ship Boston, captain Finlay, from Liverpool, a supply of SEASONABLE GOODS, consisting of
T. Sheppard's and Meek & Co's. imperial Saxony cloths and cassimeres
Yorkshire fine & superfine ditto
Double milled drabs
Flannels, white, red, yellow & green
Bombazetts, black and all colors
Rose blankets, assorted from 8-4 to 12-4
Carpetings and twilled cords and velvetteens *And on hand,*
An assortment of cotton goods.
september 18 d3tmwf

The Public

CAN at all times be supplied, on the very best terms, with checks and bills at sight, and short dates to suit their convenience, on

Baltimore,	New-York,
Philadelphia,	Boston.

Apply at my *Exchange Banking House*, Bridge-street, Georgetown, where the fair and most reasonable exchange can be had on bank notes from all parts of the United States. ROMULUS RIGGS.

S. Drew, Merchant Tailor,

Removed from Fairfax-street to the corner of King and Columbus streets, and his prices falling,

RESPECTFULLY acquaints his customers and the citizens in general that he has removed as above, where he will study to give satisfaction. He has by him a small but well assorted stock of goods, which will be found on inspection to be of the best quality, the whole of which he wishes to sell low for cash, and as further inducements to purchasers he offers to cut out any goods, bought of him to any size or pattern gratis.

S. Drew aware, of the advantage a ready money business has over one where long credit is given, thinks that a distinction ought to be made in the prices in each case; and as the price of provisions are low at present, he is glad to be able to announce to those customers who will feel disposed to pay him ready money for his work, that he will reduce the price of making to them according to the present journeymen's wages; and to prevent any supposed imposition on the one hand or dissatisfaction on the other he is willing to be governed by the printed regulations of prices by which the journeymen are paid in Alexandria.

N. B. Bread, flour, beef, groceries, liquors or any thing valuable taken in exchange for clothes.

S. Drew has this day opened a tavern in the same house, where he has laid in a supply of Philadelphia and the district porter and ale, together with liquors of the best quality, and he feels confident that he shall be able to give satisfaction to all who will please to favor him with a call.—He is fitting up his house for the accommodation of boarders, travellers, &c. and from its central situation, good beds and stabling, together with other requisites, he presumes that it will be found a convenient establishment.
may 25

Fresh Medicines,

JUST received from Lee's Medicine Store, Maiden-Lane, New-York, and for sale by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
(Who have for many years been sole agents for Alexandria) with the following recommendations—

Hamilton's Worm destroying Lozenges, by which a vast number of persons have been relieved from this dangerous complaint during the last sixteen years.

Hahn's Antibilious Pills, Celebrated for the Prevention and Cure of bilious disorders.

Hamilton's Elixir, Effectual for the cure of colds, obstinate coughs, asthmas, &c.

Hamilton's Grand Restorative, Recommended as an invaluable medicine for the speedy relief of nervous complaints, low spirits, loss of appetite, &c.

Hamilton's Essence and Extract of Mustard, Esteemed a safe and efficacious remedy in acute and chronic rheumatism, gout, &c. &c.

Lee's Ointment for the Itch, Warranted to cure at one application, and to be perfectly innocent in the use.

Hahn's Genuine Corn Plaster, For the speedy removal of corns without pain.

Hahn's Genuine Eye Water, For the cure of diseases of the eyes.

Tooth Ache Drops. Affording relief in the most violent attacks.

Genuine Persian Lotion, A valuable cosmetic for removing all eruptions on the face and skin, perfectly innocent and free from any injurious ingredient.

Restorative Powder for the Teeth and Gums.

Pamphlets may be had gratis at the place of sale, containing a more particular account of the medicines, with the cases of cures performed in confirmation of the character given of them.

100 Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY on the 25th of April last, a man called NED, formerly the property of Mr. Fitzhugh, of Fairfax, and by him sold to Hepburn & Dundas. He had on when he went away an old country blue and white cloth coat, and kersey trowsers—his right hand in a sling, in consequence of the kick of a horse. Ned is a stupid looking fellow, and hesitates very much when he speaks. I will give fifty dollars if apprehended in the District, or the above reward for apprehending him out of the District, so that I get him again.
AGNES DUNDAS.
Mount Eagle, May 19 d6thwfstf

Office of the Fire Insurance Company of Alexandria, October 5, 1819.

THE stockholders are hereby notified that an election of twelve directors to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at their office, on Monday the 1st of November next, from 10 till 2 o'clock.

The transfer book will be closed from 2 o'clock on Wednesday 27th inst. till after the election.
J. B. NICKOLLS, Sec'ry.
Oct. 6 1aW3t

District of Columbia,

Alexandria County to Wit, April Term, 1819.

IN CHANCERY.

Thomas Preston, Complainant,
Against
Thomas D. Tracey, David Ross and Jonah Isabell, Defendants.

THE defendant Thomas D. Tracey not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant do appear here on the first day of November term next, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants, David Ross and Jonah Isabell, do not pay away, convey, or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in Alexandria; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court house of said county.
A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
june 14

District of Columbia,

Alexandria County to Wit, April Term, 1819.

IN CHANCERY.

Evan P. Taylor, Complainant,
Against
Peter Saunders and James Anderson, Defendants.

THE defendant Peter Saunders not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant do appear here on the first day of November term next, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, James Anderson, do not pay away, convey, or secrete the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Peter Saunders, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in Alexandria; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court house of said county.
A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C.

District of Columbia.

Alexandria County to Wit, April Term, 1819.

IN CHANCERY.

Robert G. Violett, Complainant,
Against
Charles Tyler, Robert S. Blacklock and Christopher Neale, Defendants.

THE defendant Charles Tyler, not having entered his appearance, and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said Charles Tyler is not an inhabitant of this District: on motion of the complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant do appear here on the first day in November term next, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants, Robert S. Blacklock and Christopher Neale, do not pay away, convey or secrete the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in Alexandria; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court house of said county.
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Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
june 9

District of Columbia,

Alexandria County to Wit, April Term, 1819.

IN CHANCERY.

Thomas Lawrason, Complainant,
Against
Elizabeth Haskins, William L. Haskins, John H. Ladd, executor, and Sarah Ladd, executrix, of John G. Ladd, deceased.

THE defendant Elizabeth Haskins, not having entered her appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, That the said defendant does appear here on the first day of November term next, and answer the bill of the complainant; and that the other defendants, John H. Ladd, executor, and Sarah Ladd, executrix, of John H. Ladd, deceased, do not pay away, convey or secrete the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in Alexandria; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court house of said county.
A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.

Notice,

A SUBSCRIPTION will be opened on the 27th day of next month, at the Farmers' Bank of Alexandria, for 3798 shares, to complete the capital stock of said bank, authorised by its charter.
By order of the Board,
JOHN HOOFF, Cashier.
september 24 wmt27O

Take Notice,

THAT I pay no debts of any person's contracting in my name except an order from me. ALEX. PERRY.
October 9 sw4w

District of Columbia,

Alexandria County to Wit, April Term, 1819.

IN CHANCERY.

Alexander Henderson, Complainant,
against
Childs & Witherspoon, and Thomas H. Howland, Defendants.

THE defendants, Childs & Witherspoon, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendants are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendants do appear here on the 1st day of November term next, and answer the bill of the complainant; and that the other defendant, Thomas H. Howland, do not pay away, convey, or secrete the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendants until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in Alexandria; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court house of said county. A copy
Teste. EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
june 10

Was Committed,

TO the jail for the county of Alexandria on the 3d inst. as a runaway, a negro man called BEN HENDERSON, supposed to be the property of George Thornton, of King George county. The said negro is about 50 years of age; 5 feet 6 inches high; bald head; and a shoemaker by trade. The owner is desired to come prove property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs.
ANDW. ROUNSAVELL,
september 8 Jailor.

100 Dollars Reward.

RAN away on the 28th of April, from the farm of the subscriber, in Dogue Neck, Fairfax Co. Virginia, negro HARRY, aged about twenty three years, about five feet ten inches high, very black, well built, has a considerable impediment in his speech, when spoken to evinces much confusion, and replies almost unintelligibly: had on when he left home, a much worn suit of domestic cloth. I have every reason to believe that he is endeavoring to pass for a free man, and as such went off in some of the bay craft during the late fishing season. All masters of vessels are forewarned from harboring or taking into their employ said negro, under penalty of having the law rigidly enforced against them. I will give twenty dollars, if taken in the county of Fairfax, or district of Columbia; if beyond that distance, the above reward, provided he is secured in jail so that I get him again. WM. MASON.
Charles County, Md. June 1.

The editors of the National Intelligencer and Baltimore Federal Gazette will insert the above until forbid, and send their accounts to Port Tobacco for payment.
June 11 tf

100 Dollars Reward.

I WILL give the above reward to any person who will return to my possession, negro LAWRENCE, who assumes the surname of FENWICK. This fellow left my farm, on the Wicomico river, in Charles county, Md. on the 6th July, in consequence of his own outrageous conduct towards my overseer. He is a negro of a fine erect figure, good features, a smooth black skin, rather above the middle stature, of a youthful appearance for one of thirty years of age, and of great plausibility and natural smartness. His ears grow remarkably close to his head, and on the inside of his lower lip he has a white mark or spot. I purchased him 4 years ago of the estate of Mrs. P. H. Courts, of this county. I am led (by circumstances which have come to my knowledge since he absconded,) to believe that he will endeavor to make his way to King George county, Va.; should he not take this route, he will probably be met with in the District of Columbia, or in the upper counties of this state, on his way to Pennsylvania. I apprehend he will change his name, and if committed to jail, refuse to state to whom he belongs, as the misconduct which preceded his departure, & his absconding, have all appeared since to have been premeditated. He took all his clothes with him, of which he had a large number; among them—a new bearskin over-coat, a long close-bodied blue coat, a pair of striped jean pantaloons, one or more white waistcoats, besides many articles of coarse cloathing; these, however, he will probably exchange, or sell them for cash to defray his travelling expenses.

I will give the above reward to any person who will bring him home to me, or *FIFTY DOLLARS* if confined in jail, and notice given me, so that I recover him.—Should he be taken out of the state, I will also pay all reasonable costs and charges which may attend the bringing him home.
I. T. STODDERT,
West Hatton, near Allen's Fresh Post-Office, Charles county, Maryland.
aug. 6 dtf

Aromatic Snuff,

For Catarrh & c dac

THIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agreeable fragrance as for its efficacy in the cure of recent catarrh and slow nervous headache, is used and approved by the present professor of chemistry in the university of Cambridge, mass. and by some of the most respectable gentlemen of the faculty in the United States—It is also particularly recommended by Dr Waterhouse, late professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary—whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
Sole Agents for Alexandria

Port Tobacco Jockey Club Races.

WILL commence on the usual ground on TUESDAY the 26th day of October next—on which day a purse will be run for according to the rules of the club; four miles and repeat, free for all ages.

On WEDNESDAY a purse will be run for, three miles and repeat, free for all ages, the winning horse of the first day excepted.

On THURSDAY a saddle and bridle will be run for, one mile and repeat, free for saddle horses of Prince George's, St. Mary's or Charles counties.

The two first days carrying weights according to the rules of the Washington city jockey club. The third day a Feather.

The purse will be as respectable as usual.
Sept. 27 tdtuthw

PROSPECTUS

Of a new periodical work to be published in the city of Washington, entitled the

Washington Theological REPERTORY.

EDITORS. { Rev. Wm Hawley, Washington, Rev. Wm. H. Wilmer, Alexandria, Rev. Oliver Norris, Alexandria, Rev. Reuel Keith, Georgetown.

Assisted by several other literary gentlemen of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

IF any apology were necessary for this undertaking, it may be found in the fact, that there is no publication on a similar plan, in all that section of our country lying south of New-York, and but one in the whole of the United States. It has been matter of equal surprize and regret, that the Episcopal Church should be so far behind other Christian denominations, in similar efforts to disseminate the principles of religion and piety. At a period like the present, when the Lord is preparing his way on earth, by the most remarkable efforts of human agency, and the most wonderful operations of his providence and grace—when we perceive in every part of Christendom, a praise-worthy emulation to share in the glorious work of filling the earth with the knowledge of the only true God, and his Son Jesus Christ; it would seem criminal for any to withhold their exertions, however feeble, in the great enterprize of human happiness and salvation. The editors have, therefore, felt it their duty to make this humble effort to supply this acknowledged deficiency on the part of the church in this section of the country, and to bear their share in the common exertions of Christians to promote the Redeemer's Kingdom. And having obtained the services of a gentleman in whose talents and principles they have confidence, whose time will be wholly devoted to the superintendence of the work, they feel encouraged to solicit the patronage of the public.

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